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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF FOR INTELLIGENCE
HEADQUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
ATTN: SMI Branch/Security Division

SUBJECT: Release of Information

REFERENCE: ACSI-CE Disposition Form to SMI, 16 March 1962,
Subject: Request for Release Authority

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1. The CIA Clandestine Service has approved the release [redacted] of information in report [redacted].

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[redacted] as used in USARPAC study "Sino-Soviet Military and Economic Aid to South and Southeast Asia." Reference 4 (Inclosure #) was apparently taken from [redacted] and extracted information may not be used in the released USARPAC study. [redacted] concerns aid to Burma and the paragraphs on Burma (pp. 10-12) should be carefully scrutinized to remove any information from this report in the USARPAC study.

2. The CIA Office of Research and Reports has also reviewed the USARPAC study "Sino-Soviet Military and Economic Aid to South and Southeast Asia." Data taken from the EIC semiannual reports, EIC-R14 series, has been approved for use in this report and release as requested, with the following exceptions:

- a. Page 5 of draft study: The information in the first paragraph at the top of the page commencing with "USR-Indonesian military" and ending with "and amphibious landing craft." must be deleted;
- b. Page 6 of draft study: The sentence "The GAO recently . . . of the Kabul Military School." must be deleted;
- c. Page 6 of draft study: Last paragraph on the page, including all of the table following which is continued on page 7, must be deleted.

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3. On page 1 of the USARPAC draft study, TABLE 1, the figure for Sino-Soviet Economic Aid to India, June 1959, seems to be misquoted. EIC-R14-57, Sino-Soviet Economic Activities in Underdeveloped Areas, 1 January-30 June 1959, cites the cumulative figure through June 1959 as 322.9.

4. It should be pointed out that if the USARPAC draft study had been documented with correct page numbers of the reference to be checked, it could have been handled more expeditiously.

5. Attached is a SECRET version of EIC-R14-S12, Sino-Soviet Bloc Economic Activities in Underdeveloped Areas, 1 July-31 December 1961, Copy No. 41, to be transmitted to USARPAC. They may want to use this document to update the information in their study through December 1961. Data may be used from this document without requesting permission from CIA.

6. Reference DF, with three inclosures, is returned herewith.

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